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RESPONSE TO SECOND NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF

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Sir:

The Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated December 7, 2010 (hereinafter "Notification"), indicated that the summary portion of the originally-filed Appeal Brief, filed on November 5, 2010, did not contain a description of each independent claim. In direct contrast, each of the independent claims (claims 1, 9, 17, and 25) is referenced and discussed at pages 5-7 of the originally filed Appeal Brief. Therefore, the Notification was issued in error.

In a telephone conversation on December 10, 2010, Ms. Joyce Gunter-Rilev acknowledged that the Notification was sent in error, and she indicated that the Appeal Brief would be forwarded to the Examiner as of November 23, 2010. The USPTO's PAIR system appears to confirm that the Appeal Brief has been forwarded. Appellant is submitting this response to ensure that the appeal process proceeds and to comply with any response deadlines resulting from the erroneous Notification.

No fee is believed to be required for the filing of this response; however, if it is determined that a fee is necessary, authority is given to charge/credit deposit account 50-3581 (KOLS.101PA) in support of this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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